

INTERIM RULEMAKING NOTICE FORM

Proposed Interim Rule Number _____ Rule Number Env-Ws 904

1. Agency Name & Address: <div style="text-align: center;"> Department of Environmental Services Water Division PO Box 95 29 Hazen Drive Concord, NH 03302 </div>	2. RSA Authority: <u>RSA 485-A:6, VI</u> 3. Federal Authority: <u>n/a</u> 4. Type of Action: Adoption _____ Amendment _____ Repeal _____ Readoption <u>X</u> Readoption w/amendment _____
5. Filing Date: October 1, 2004	

6. Short Title: **Standards For Pretreatment of Industrial Wastewater**

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8. Summary explaining the effect of the rule: **The rules establish pretreatment standards to which wastes must conform before being discharged into the collection system or wastewater treatment facility (WWTF) of a municipality or other governmental entity.**

9. Listing of people, enterprises, and government agencies affected by the rule: **Municipalities that own WWTFs and industrial dischargers to such systems may be affected by these rules.**

10. Specific section or sections of state statute or federal statute or regulation which the rule is intended to implement.

Rule Section(s)	Statute(s) Implemented
Env-Ws 904.01	RSA 485-A:4, XV; RSA 485-A:5
Env-Ws 904.02	RSA 485-A:4, XV; RSA 485-A:5
Env-Ws 904.03	RSA 485-A:4, XV; RSA 485-A:5
Env-Ws 904.04	RSA 485-A:4, XV; RSA 485-A:5
Env-Ws 904.05	RSA 485-A:4, XV; RSA 485-A:5
Env-Ws 904.06	RSA 485-A:4, XV; RSA 485-A:5
Env-Ws 904.07	RSA 485-A:4, XV; RSA 485-A:5
Env-Ws 904.08	RSA 485-A:4, XV; RSA 485-A:5

11. Summary of the effect upon the state if the rule were not adopted: **If the rules were not adopted, the indirect discharge of pollutants to publicly-owned treatment works (POTW) could interfere with or be incompatible with the safety, successful performance, operation and maintenance of the POTW and cause discharges from the POTW to violate state water quality standards.**

12. Proposed date of review by the Joint Legislative Committee on Administrative Rules: **Oct. 28, 2004**

13. The fiscal impact statement prepared by the Legislative Budget Assistant

FIS # 04:197, dated 10/1/04 [See Cover Sheet]